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# LATEST WIRELESS NEWS

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## More Vessels Sunk

London—The British steamer *Glengyle* sunk in the Mediterranean. Total passengers and crew rescued. There were 120 Europeans and 7 Chinese; no Americans on board.

The British steamer *Stoswald* also sunk.

The *Glengyle* was almost new. She was built in 1914 at Newcastle England, of twin-crew type, 9,395 tons, 500 feet long, owned by Mc Gregor, Dow & Co., Glasgow, home port London.

## Fordites Through Germany

Copenhagen—Germany has given permission for the Ford party to traverse that country to The Hague. There are rigid restrictions, however, which must be observed. Doors of railway carriages must be locked. No papers carried. No field glasses or cameras. No gold used. Party to disband January 12.

## Kaiser's Malady Serious

Paris—It is reported that the Kaiser's malady is serious.

London—Russian headquarters report Russian forces in southwestern part of east battle line have advanced beyond the Stripa river, throwing back Austrian forces which have opposed them for months.

## Japanese Ships To Suez

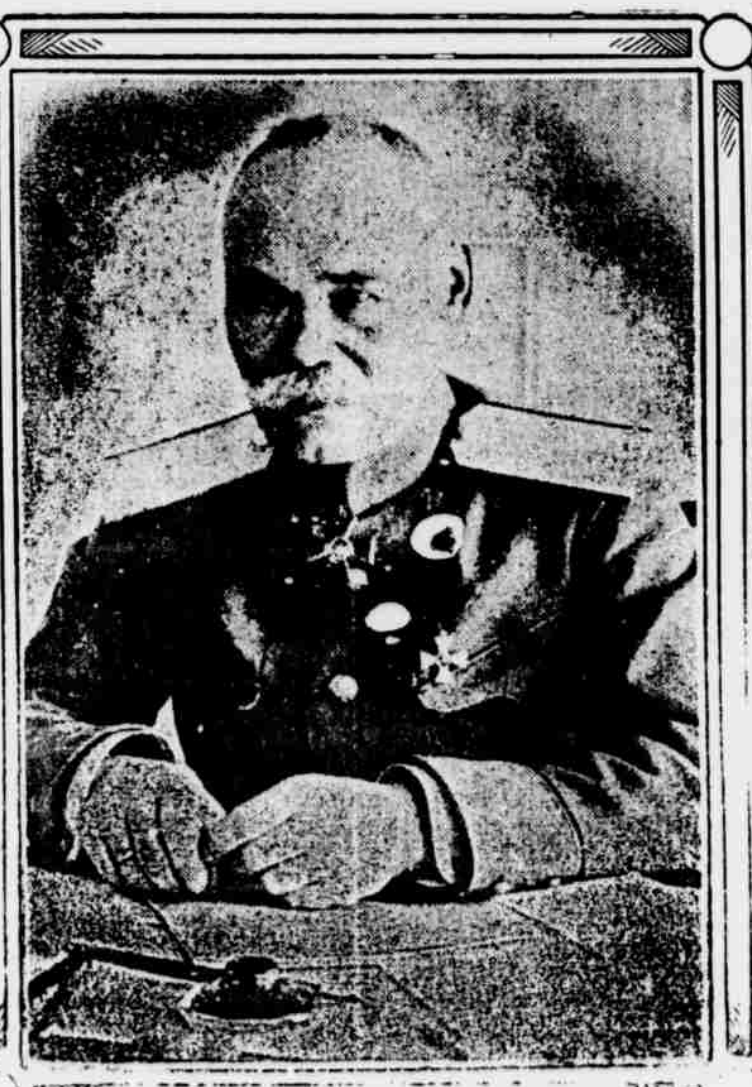
Tokio—It is officially announced today that a squadron of Japanese warships sailed for Suez, presumably to protect Japanese shipping in the Mediterranean and adjacent waters.

## California Floods Severe

San Francisco—Severest storm in years is sweeping California. From many points come reports of property damage and lives endangered. Oakland has a severe flood, women and children being rescued in boats. Schools of San Francisco and Sacramento have been closed on account of the flood.

## Successor To Lamar

Washington—Secretary of the Interior Franklin K. Lane and Solicitor General John W. Davis of the department of justice are mentioned as possible successors to the late Justice Lamar.



GENERAL ALEXEIFF, NEW CHIEF-OF-STAFF OF RUSSIAN ARMIES.

Monday, January 3

Sugar, 4.58.

Washington—The sinking of the British steamer *Persia* develops another very great crisis. It is impossible to minimize the gravity of the situation, and diplomatic America has reached the end of its rope regarding submarine warfare. The *Persia* was unwarned when torpedoed, although the presence of the torpedo was noticed by one passenger before it struck vessel and the passengers on deck given warning. American Counsel McNeilly was last seen struggling in the water. His body has not yet been found.

## Activities In The East

London—In Bessarabia the Russians are striking hard at the Austrians. The greatest of all strategic offensives gathers force and weight from countless numbers of White Czar's legions which would drive the Tenthons from Balkan positions. The Slav armies aim to cut the line between Berlin and the Golden Horn and compel Roumania to play her hand in the Levant.

## Storm In California

San Francisco—A terrible storm raged here yesterday, wind at

times reaching a velocity of seventy-five miles an hour. Windows were smashed and one man was killed by a falling sign.

## Emperor Takes Seat

Peking—Emperor, Hung Hin, formerly President Yuan Shih Kai, entered the throne room of the Manchus yesterday and took a seat at the New Year's reception.

## Town Burned Down

Richmond—A part of the town of Gordonsville, Georgia, was wiped out by fire.

## Ford's New Opinion

New York—Henry Ford, arriving from his vessel yesterday, stated that he had made a mistake in his mission. The powers are not responsible for keeping up the war. Rather is it the people who refuse to think for themselves. He says he would go on another peace trip if he thought it would do the least bit of good.

## Justice Lamar Is Dead

Washington—Associate Justice Lamar died here yesterday.

## Monument To Explorer

London—A monument to Captain Scott has been unveiled by Balfour.

The cabinet crisis continues to be acute. It is now regarded as certain that Ireland will not be exempt from the provisional conscription measure.

## Huerta At Point Of Death

El Paso—General Huerta is at the point of death, following an operation for the removal of gall stones.

## Russia And The Jews

Berlin—The Russian government has rescinded all orders granting further liberties of Jews.

Sunday, January 2

Sugar, 4.58.

## Emperor This Month

San Francisco—Cables received by the Revolutionists Committee from its agents in Shanghai state that Yuan Shih Kai will ascend the throne as Emperor early this month. The statement excites the liveliest interest among the Chinese of the Coast. Another statement is that Dr. Sun Yat Sen is on his way to join the revolutionists in Yunnan.

## Designs On A State House

Boston—Failure of a tarred rope fuse to burn saved the state house from material damage on New Year's night. A scrubbing woman discovered a heavy package attached to a basement door. Investigation showed the apparatus to be a strongly charged bomb, to which the tarred rope fuse was attached.

## President's New Year

Hot Springs—The President presented his bride to five hundred callers yesterday, for whom Mrs. Wilson poured tea. The President and wife spent the morning motoring, golfing and hiking in the drizzling rain.

The President refused to express any opinion regarding the sinking of the British liner *Persia*.

## The Dreamer To Land Tonight

New York—Ford, it is expected, will come ashore tonight. His wife and son are here to meet him.

## Lynching On The Increase

Montgomery—The statistician's office of Tuskegee Institute announced yesterday that the lynching record in the Southern States has been growing worse. Georgia leads with eighteen lynchings.

## Chicago's Heavy Fire Loss

Chicago—Losses due to fire in this city in the past year total five million dollars.

## Airmen Attack Promiscuously

Athens—In a recent air raid against the Allies at Salonika, the Teutonic aviators dropped bombs on Greeks and Allies alike.

## More British Recruits

London—It is probable that under the Derby plan of securing recruits, a call will be issued before February 1 for all unmarried men between the ages of 24 and 27 to join the colors.

## Fighting On East Front

A great battle, which is still undecided, is raging in Galicia, where the Russians, re-equipped by Japanese, American and British supplies, are carrying forward a wide offensive against the Austro-Germans.

## Spalding's Will Attacked

San Diego—Attempts to break the will of the late A. G. Spalding, the baseball magnate, through which Kathryn Tingley and her Theosophical institution benefit largely, is to be made by Spalding's son. Initial papers filed yesterday. Tingley is charged with conspiracy.

## Austrians Sink A Britisher

Washington—Austria's pledge to the United States that merchant vessels with passengers would not be attacked by Austrian submarines without full and ample warning being given was handed to Ambassador Penfield Wednesday. On Thursday a submarine supposed to be Austrian made an unwarned attack upon the British liner *Persia*, of the P. & O. line, sinking the ship and bringing death to a number of non-combatants. Robert McNeilly, American consular agent whose brother, Dowd, who was accompanying him to his post as secretary, were among those believed to be lost, as neither has communicated with the State department or relatives. The usual technical loophole is ready.

Saturday, January 1

Sugar, 4.58.

## An Interesting Engagement

Honolulu—Rev. Doremus Scudder, pastor of Central Union church, and Miss Mary E. Boshier, who is retiring from Kawaiahao Seminary, will be married late in January.

Submarine K-4 met with an accident thirty feet under water. Muffler valve cracked. She returned safely.

## Austria Concedes Everything

Washington—Austria's final answer pledges safety to traders. Commanders of submarines will wait in future, before sinking craft, until all passengers are all safe. The State Department feels sure that the promise will be kept. The note also concedes all demands made by the United States upon the dual monarchy following the destruction of the *Ancona*.

## To Reconsider Conscription

London—The British cabinet attended a meeting today to consider the subject of compulsory military service.

## Explosion Kills Mexicans

Laredo—Reports last night are of the killing of fifteen men and women and wounding a score more by the explosion of dynamite and hand grenades in a box car intended for the Carranza troops.

## Ford Turns Up

New York—Henry Ford arrived yesterday, looking well. His health is improved.

## Danes Welcome The Doves

Copenhagen—Members of the Ford peace party were well received here. Arrangements were made for a number of unofficial receptions.

## Why McCann Quit

San Francisco—Jeff McCann gave out an interview that he could not live honestly and happily in Honolulu. For that reason he quit, and was not asked to resign.

## Iron Crosses For Poles

Berlin—The Kaiser will award iron crosses to a number of Poles for action during the war.

It is reported here that the Bulgarian parliament voted five hundred million francs to carry on the war.

## Juarez Comes Into Light

El Paso—Telegraph communication with Juarez has been resumed.

## Canal Commission Finishes

Panama—The scientific commission appointed by the President to investigate slides in the Canal Zone has finished its work. Findings have not been made public.

## For Consumptives

San Francisco—Congressman Kent is planning to introduce a bill providing for the aid of indigent consumptives the money to be used directly through the Treasury department for standardized treatment of the disease.

## Events At Salonika

London—General Sarraill, commander in chief of the Allied forces at Salonika, in arresting consuls, of central powers, and families and staffs, placing them aboard warships in the harbor, has called forth a strong protest from the Athens government.

## Renegade American Honored

Baton William A. Astor was created by the King yesterday. Honors made public.

New York—Von Rintelen is said to have used society matrons as tools. Letters found in his baggage have thrown a flood of light on underground methods pursued by this man and his dupes in the United States.

## How They Went Dry

Seattle—Washington State went dry with a bang at midnight sharp. Most of cafes had sold out liquor stocks early in the afternoon. \$3,000,000 said to have been invested in seven States in the purchase of wet supplies for the ensuing drought. In Denver one man is reported to have bought sixteen barrels of whiskey. Boise, Idaho, had plenty of liquor to spare at midnight, and what was left over was emptied into the sewers.

## Friday Afternoon

Miss Mabel E. Boshier has resigned from her position as principal of Kawaiahao Seminary, the resignation to take effect at the end of January. Miss Mary Kinney will fill the vacancy until the end of the school year.

George Collins has been appointed city engineer temporarily. The Mayor stated today that Collins will be named by him for permanent appointment on Saturday night, but the appointment must be confirmed by the Board of Supervisors.

## British Cruiser Explodes

London—The British armored cruiser *Natal* was sunk by an internal explosion which wrecked the vessel and sent her quickly to the bottom. The *Natal* carried 700 men and officers, of which 300 were killed. The loss of the vessel severest to British navy in months.

## The Answer Of Austria

Washington—The text of the latest Austrian note on the sinking of the *Ancona* was received by cable at the State Department's office today. It was 3000 words in length. While nothing has been given out as to details, it is stated officially that the relations between the United States and Austria are safe for the present. Additional correspondence between the two countries will likely result.

## Explosion In Chicago Kills

Chicago—Spontaneous combustion of dust in the plant of the American Linseed Company caused explosion and disastrous fire here today. Six are dead and many injured. Loss of property thought to be two millions.

## Noted Baseballer Dead

O'Neill, famous outfielder of the St. Louis browns years ago, died here today.

## California After Fair Buildings

San Francisco—Governor Johnson announced today that he will call a special session of the Legislature January 5 to consider the acquisition of the splendid California building of the Exposition for the purposes of a State normal school.

## Seven On Water Wagon

Chicago—Seven new States go dry tonight under the prohibition wave. They are Iowa, Oregon, Colorado, Washington, Idaho, Arkansas and South Carolina.

## Navy League A Success

Honolulu—The local branch of the Navy League cabled 300 names of women members in the Territory to headquarters. The League wants a million members by tonight.

Friday, December 31

Sugar, advanced to 4.58.

Honolulu—The Queen asks to dismiss the action of Prince Kuhio over property. She disapproves of suit brought by her nephew to break her deed of trust, and says that Kuhio had no authority to act as he has in the matter. Discontinuance and motion to quash were filed yesterday by Judge Perry.

Miss Spring and Dr. Peden are free.

## Mathew Schmitt Guilty

Los Angeles—Mathew Schmitt, mechanic who blew up the building of the Los Angeles Times, was declared guilty of murder in the first degree, two ballots being taken. Schmitt and sister apparently unmoved by the finding of the jury. The attorneys say that the case will be carried to the highest court in the land. Tveitme vows Los Angeles shall pay dearly for the decision against the McNamara murder gang.

## Colorado On The Water Wagon

Denver—Colorado goes dry tonight. Fourteen breweries and more than fifteen hundred saloons to close doors. The law has severe penalties. Many buy booze in wholesale quantities in view of impending drought.

## Typhus In Mexico City

Galveston—A scourge of typhus fever is raging in Mexico City. 315 deaths have occurred this month and there are 1,500 new cases.

## Kaiser Issues Holiday Greetings

Berlin—Holiday greetings were sent out by the Kaiser to personal friends on autograph photographs.

## Germany To Recognize Carranza

Berlin—It was officially announced here last night that the imperial government has decided to recognize the Carranza government in Mexico, which has already been recognized by the United States.

## Teutons Die In Serbian Camps

More than 7,000 Austrian and German prisoners died in Serbian prison camps.

## The Kaiser's Troubles

London—It is reported here that the Kaiser is suffering from carbuncles.

General trades council, representing all societies affiliated with labor unions at Great Britain, will convene January 6 to consider bill providing for conscription.

The French commanding general at Salonika has decided to eliminate official representatives of central powers from within the lines of the Allies in Greece.

## Austria And America

Washington—Reply to second note on the *Ancona* affair is said to be a practical surrender. Submarine commander will be punished for crime.

Three of the war plotters have agreed to surrender.

## New Sing Sing Warden

Albany—Warden Osborne walked out of his office and Dr. G. B. Kirchwey, former dean of Columbia University law school, took charge as acting warden of Sing Sing prison.

## Minnesota Governor Dead

St. Paul—Governor Hammond, of Minnesota, dropped dead near Baton Rouge, La., yesterday.